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Applicant(s): Heery et al.

Invention: INHIBITORS OF NUCLEAR PROTEIN/NUCLEAR RECEPTOR INTERACTION

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated October 16, 2008, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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